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Assistant Commissioner For Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

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Inv	entor:	Koichiro Hori et al	
For	•	DEVICE-STEERING SHAFT ASSEMBLY AND ENDOSCOPE	
End	closed are:	_ sheets of drawings.	
	An assignm	ent of the invention to:	
	A verified s	tatement to establish small entity status.	Ī

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Ind. Claims	6 - 3	3	x \$41.00		x \$82.00	246.00
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FILING OF PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

The attached application is being filed under the provisions of 37 CFR

1.10.

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